Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA.—Actually we have got Rs. 20 lakhs at our disposal. The amount spent is only a fraction of it.

Sri Mulka GOVINDA REDDY.—Is the amount that is received from the Government of India non-lapsable ?

Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA.—Yes; we have requested to make it non-lapsable. They have generously agreed to it.

QUESTIONS FOR ANSWERS ON THE DAY

(but not taken up)

Bridge across Suvarnavathi along Doddarayapet and Kagalavadi Road.

Q.—682. Sri B. RACHIAH (Yelandur—Scheduled Castes).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether it is not a fact that an estimate was prepared for construction of a bridge across the River Suvarnavathi along Doddarayapet and Kagalavadi road near Alur;

(*b*) whether it is not a fact that Rs. 50,000 was provided in the budget estimates for 1950-51.

(*c*) whether a revised estimate has been prepared recently with a lesser cost;

(*d*) the cost of the revised estimate;

(*e*) whether this revised estimate has been sanctioned;

A.—Sri T. CHANNIAH (Minister for Public Health and Local Self-Government).—

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) A grant of Rs. 25,000 was provided.

(*c*) Yes. The revised estimate is for a high level causeway.

(*d*) Rs. 11,580.

(*e*) No.

Major and Minor Tanks in Magadi Taluk.

Q.—709. Solur SIDDAPPA (Magadi).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the number of major and minor tanks in Magadi Taluk (hobliwise figures may be furnished);

(*b*) out of these how many are repaired and how many not repaired for the last three years (hobliwise figures may be furnished);

(*c*) the number of applications received for improvement of major and minor tanks which are not repaired and the number of tanks in respect of which estimates have been prepared (hobliwise information may be given) ?

A.—Sri Kadidal MANJAPPA (Minister for Revenue and Public Works).—

(*a*) *Name of Hobli.*		*No. of Major Tanks.*	*No. of Minor Tanks.*
Magadi	...	4	47
Madabalu	...	2	26
Solur	...	3	47
Thavarekere	...	1	49
Thippasandra	...	5	22
Kudur	...	7	39

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(*b*) *Name of Hobli.*

	Tanks repaired.		*Tanks not repaired.*	
	Major	*Minor*	*Major*	*Minor*
Magadi ...	1	1	...	12
Madabalu ...	...	5	...	7
Solur ...	...	7	...	36
Thavarekere ...	...	11	...	28
Thippasandra ...	1	1	...	4
Kudur ...	...	1	2	9

N.B.—The remaining 18 Major Tanks and 108 Minor Tanks do not require to be repaired, as they are in good condition.

(*c*) 79.

	No. of petitions.	*Tanks for the restoration of which estimates are prepared.*	
		Major	*Minor*
Magadi ...	5	...	1
Madabalu ...	9	...	1
Solur ...	16	...	4
Thavarekere ...	24	...	5
Thippasandra ...	12	...	1
Kudur ...	13	2	6

Kembalu Muttanakatte Tank, Bagur Village, Channarayapatna (Restoration).

Q.—870. Sri B. CHIKKANNA (Javagal).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) when the bund of the Kembalu Muttanakatte tank, Bagur Hobli, Channarayapatna Taluk, was breached ;

(*b*) whether any estimate for its repair has been prepared ?

A.—Sri Kadidal MANJAPPA (Minister for Revenue and Public Works).—

(*a*) About 50 years ago.

(*b*) Yes.

Villages having Wells in Kadur Taluk.

Q.—905. Sri Y. M. CHANDRASEKHARIAH (Kadur).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the number of villages in the Kadur Taluk ;

(*b*) the number of bechirak villages among these ;

(*c*) the number of villages among these having drinking water wells ?

A.—Sri T. CHANNIAH (Minister for Public Health and Local Self-Government).—

(*a*) 307.

(*b*) 66.

(*c*) 137.

Business of the House

MR. SPEAKER.—The next item on the agenda is discussion on the Report of the Fact Finding Committee. I want to bring it to the notice of the Hon'ble Members that there may be a large number of speakers and therefore, I want to limit the time so that almost all the members who are desirous of speaking may have chances.

Sri J. MOHAMED IMAM (Jagalur).—The Leader of the House is not here.